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Town Council.

The report of the executive of the Central and Northern Alberta Power Consumers' Association was considered at the meeting of the Town Council held on Monday evening. The object of the association, which comprises 43 towns and villages, is to study the electric power situation and if possible secure better rates for consumers of power. It was decided to co-operate with the association.

The question of Sunday skating was discussed and it was decided to open the rink on Sundays from 3 to 5 p.m. for skating, when no charge will be made. Hockey sticks and pucks will be strictly prohibited on the ice during that period.

A by-law was passed appointing Secretary Austin as returning officer for the forthcoming election of councillors. The annual meeting will be held on Friday, Jan. 28th; the nominations on Monday, Jan. 31st, with the election on the following Monday if necessary.

The retiring councillors will be W. D. Spence, W. T. Pitt and J. E. Gooder.

McFarland to Speak On Unity.

On January 7th, 1938, at 9:30 p.m. John I. McFarland, who was recently chosen as president of the executive council of the Unity Movement in Alberta, will make his first public announcement on the subject of Unity.

The speech will be made over radio stations CFRC, Calgary; CICA, Edmonton; CJOC, Lethbridge, and CFCP, Grande Prairie. Mr. McFarland, with his wide knowledge of all phases of life in Western Canada and particularly of the problems which face the farmers, is the best possible man who could be found to advise the people of Alberta on how they are to attain the unity which is so necessary now. His speech is being awaited with great interest all over the province.

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Masons Hold Joint Installation

A joint installation was held at Carstairs on December 27th last, when the officers of Didsbury, Carstairs and Crossfield Masonic Lodges for the ensuing year were installed.

The installing officer was D. Patterson, P.G.D.-of-C., Calgary, who was assisted by Dr. C. C. Hartman, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta; Geo. Moore, Grand Senior Warden; A. Davies, D.-of-C.; J. A. McGhee, P.D.D.G.M., and other grand officers.

After the installation a banquet was held, at which J. Munro, P.M., Carstairs, acted as toastmaster. Addresses were given by the grand master and other grand officers.

The following officers of King Hiram Lodge were installed:

Wor. Bro. C. R. Ford, W.M.
Wor. Bro. J. Kirby, I.P.M.
Bro. J. H. Hosegood, S.W.
Bro. W. McFarquhar, J.W.
Wor. Bro. A. L. McInnis, Treas.
Bro. H. Morgan, Secretary
R.W. Bro. J. L. Clarke, Registrar
Bro. J. R. Geeson, Chaplain
Bro. J. Topley, S.D.
Bro. R. Barrett, J.D.
Bro. J. E. Gooder, I.G.
Bro. D. Jenkins, S.S.
Bro. J. W. Wordie, J.S.
V.W. Bro. H. C. Liesemer, D.-of-C.
Bro. S. Franklin, Tyler.

WEDDINGS

WOODWORTH-CHAMBERS

On Wednesday afternoon, December 29th, 1937, in the vestry of Knox United Church, Calgary, Miss Edith Chambers, second daughter of Mr. H. W. Chambers, was united in marriage with Mr. Benjamin Douglas Woodworth, of Banff. Rev. W. F. Kelloway performed the ceremony.

The bride, dressed in brown, with green and gold embroidery and wearing a corsage of roses, was given in marriage by her father, Mr. H. W. Chambers. She was attended by her sister, Miss Marie Chambers, who wore a brown costume with accessories to match. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Percy Woodworth.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the York Hotel, at which about twenty guests were present. The happy couple will reside at Banff.

AUSENIUS-WATERHOUSE

A quiet wedding took place at the M.B.C. parsonage on Wednesday, December 22nd, 1937, when Miss Alice Waterhouse, of Rochester, Alberta, became the bride of Mr. Wilfred Ausenius, of Didsbury. Rev. Oscar Snyder performed the ceremony. The young couple will reside on the groom's farm east of Didsbury. We extend congratulations.

RUCK-DEIBERT

A quiet wedding took place in the United Church Manse on Monday afternoon, January 3rd, 1938, when Miss Esther Deibert, daughter of Andrew Deibert, became the bride of Mr. Louis Ruck, of Pine Lake, Alberta. Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson attended the bridal couple and the bride's parents were also present.

Oldest Pioneer Passes Away

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, December 29, for Samuel Troyer, 88, oldest oldtimer of the Didsbury district and one of the few survivors of the American civil war. Mr. Troyer died the previous Friday morning at his home here and was buried at the Didsbury cemetery. Services were held at the Mennonite Church with Rev. Oscar Snyder officiating.

Born in York County, Ontario, in 1849, Mr. Troyer was married Oct. 18, 1880. Seven years ago he and Mrs. Troyer celebrated their golden wedding.

Mr. Troyer came to Didsbury in 1893 with the first settlers to come here. Eighteen months later, he was followed by Mrs. Troyer and the family. They settled on a farm two miles east of Didsbury and remained there until 1919, when they moved into town where they have since lived.

Mr. Troyer is survived by his widow and three daughters: Mrs. P. Johnston, Didsbury; Mrs. Joseph Good of Garfield, and Mrs. Sam Gibson of Lavo, Alberta; also one brother, Michael Troyer of Castor. He had 17 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Family Reunion.

A very pleasant Christmas was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Snyder. For the past twelve years a family gathering of this sort was impossible, as some of the children were a long way from home, so it was with great joy that this year Mr. and Mrs. Snyder welcomed their family home. These were: Mr. and Mrs. Noah Swalm and family, Mr. and Mrs. Verdo Sherrick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Snyder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Snyder and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snyder.

The dining room with a lovely tree in one corner, was beautifully decorated in Christmas colors. Mr. Norman Snyder presented the gifts in the morning. A delicious Christmas dinner was served.

That which made this occasion more interesting was the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Norman Snyder's 42nd wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Verdo Sherrick's 14th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Snyder's 10th wedding anniversary, and Mr. Norman Snyder's 67th birthday were also celebrated.

In the afternoon Mr. Walter Snyder played the piano and Christmas songs were sung. Mr. Virgil Snyder read the Christmas story from the Bible and gave some fitting remarks on the wonderful gift of Christ which made the first Christmas.

—By a Visitor.

DIDSBURY MARKETS.

WHEAT

No. 1 Northern 1 25½
No. 2 1 16½
No. 3 1 05
No. 488½
No. 578
No. 668
No. 1 C.W. Garnet97
No. 2 C.W. Garnet94

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No. 334½
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No. 1 Feed32½

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Grade B 13c
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Curling Notes.

The curling rink was kept busy during the holidays. The lady curlers got underway and the High School bonspiel was held during Christmas week. The wind-up affair was the New Year's competition on Saturday.

Twelve rinks were in the New Year's competition. McGhee - McCloy and Pitt - Brusso entered the fours, with McGhee and Brusso reaching the finals.

The final was one of those games in which the unexpected happens. Brusso leading practically all the way, was three up coming home in the last end, allowed McGhee three to tie the game at 9-9. In the extra end McGhee lay one up, winning the prize with 10-9.

The personnel of the finalists was:

McGhee, Bill Ross, Ken McCoy and Hartley.

Brusso, Wordie, Jim Sinclair and Topley.

A meeting was held Monday night at the rink to choose skips for the second schedule. The skips were chosen and it was decided that each skip should choose his own rink.

The following rinks have been chosen, the first-named being skip:

Dr. Clarke, Brusso, Thomas, Jim Sinclair.

Wordie, Halton, Watkin, Dedels.

Reiber, Kaufman, Len. Berscht, Ford.

Wyman, Ross, T. Royds, D. Jenkins.

Johnson, McLeod, Klein, J. Morton.

McCloy, J. Kirby, Tom Morton, Ken McCoy.

Liesemer, Kirk, Beveridge, E. Schwesinger.

Fisher, Weber, C. Geiger, McCann.

Studer, Huget, Morris, Geeson.

McGhee, McFarquhar, Parsons.

Walders.

Dave Sinclair, Wallace, Friesen.

Nowak.

Heselson, Jack Cathness, Topley.

Hartley.

McNaughton, J. V. Berscht, E. G. Ranton, W. J. McCoy.

Pitt, Klein, Carleton, E. Clarke.

Didsbury was represented by a rink at the Innisfail bonspiel during Christmas week, which was successful in bringing home a second prize. The rink was D. Edwards, N. McLeod, O. Kirk and T. Johnson.

WEEKLY JOKE

Hubby: "What are we having for dinner?"

Wife: "Sponge cake, dear. I sponged the eggs from Mrs. Jones, the flour from Mrs. Brown, and the milk from Mrs. Smith."

Rosebud Intermediate Hockey League.

The Rosebud Intermediate Hockey League has been re-organized with three teams, Bowden, Didsbury and Carstairs entered.

Following is the schedule for January:

Jan. 6 Didsbury at Carstairs
Jan. 10 Bowden at Didsbury
Jan. 13 Carstairs at Bowden
Jan. 20 Bowden at Carstairs
Jan. 25 Didsbury at Bowden
Jan. 27 Carstairs at Didsbury

Mr. and Mrs. H. Buhr and family, of High River, spent the weekend with their brother, Mr. Ed Buhr.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Goodfellow and family were New Year's visitors with the former's parents in Calgary.

JANUARY Clearance SALE

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Smocks	\$1.95 to \$2.95
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Watchful Policy Needed

In the mass of material that has already been submitted and is still being presented to the Rowell Commission on Dominion-provincial relations there is danger of some matters of considerable importance to the west being overlooked because of lack of emphasis, or at least side-tracked as comparatively insignificant when balanced against the more overwhelming issues of finance and divisions of legislative and administrative responsibility.

One of these problems which is apt to get the "miss in balt" because of the absence of the spectacular is that of assistance in the further development of the Hudson Bay route and for aid in promoting additional business for the direct and short pathway between the Canadian west and European markets submitted at the Regina sitting of the Commission by the On-to-the-Bay association as a section of the Saskatchewan Government brief.

A Five-Year Plan

The Association asked that consideration be given to proposals that the Federal government absorb the differential in marine insurance rates as between the Bay route and the Lake and Rail route via Montreal, to place rates between Winnipeg and Great Britain on a competitive basis, for a period of five years.

The Association also requested the Federal government to establish a modern coal handling plant at Churchill equipped with screening facilities, weigh scales and other equipment to ensure prompt and economic discharge of incoming cargoes of Welsh anthracite coal and the installation of additional storage facilities, both at Churchill and intermediate points such as Hudson Bay Junction and The Pas to facilitate the storage and breaking of bulk of merchandise for the wholesale and retail trade in Manitoba and Saskatchewan cities.

Marine Insurance Rates

There is a good deal to be said in furtherance of these requests, much more than was contained in the brief and considerably more than space permits in this column.

In respect to the first request it should be pointed out, however, that if marine insurance rates continue to decline with the same speed that they have since the route was opened for business in 1931 by the end of a five-year period, provided sufficient volume of traffic can be secured, the rates will by that time be down to the same level as rates prevailing for inward and outward bound consignments through the St. Lawrence. Given improved crop conditions the necessary volume of business to ensure this result should be handled through Churchill during the next five years if the requested Federal aid is forthcoming.

An Economic Proposition

Increased volume of traffic in both directions is also the objective of the requests for coal handling and storage facilities. The provision of such facilities would not only tend to make feasible inbound cargoes of Welsh coal and merchandise but would go a long way towards promoting the export of timber for pit props, for which there is a demand in British collieries, and junk, of which there is plenty on Western Canadian farms and for which there is also a market in Great Britain.

The provision of intermediate storage sheds would undoubtedly go a long way towards popularizing the Hudson Bay route with wholesalers and retailers in the centres of at least two of the prairie provinces as it would enable them to combine shipments, break bulk at interior points and secure consignments in less than carload quantities at local points, provided the government is prepared to furnish such service at nominal cost for a period. It would also enable consignees to combine purchases and shipments on an economic basis.

Criticism Unwarranted

During the past few months sniping at the expense of the Hudson Bay route has been indulged in by some of the Eastern press, the inference being left that the system is somewhat of a white elephant, that it will be a long time, if ever, before it can stand on its own feet and that the East has had to bear the expense of its construction and is now called upon to finance its maintenance.

It is true that the railway is not yet paying its way, but the critics failed to point out that during the whole period it has been operating the west has been suffering from the combined shock of world economic depression with crop failures superimposed as an additional handicap, with the result that comparatively little export grain has been available for out-bound cargoes via the H.B. route and the purchasing ability for incoming commodities has been severely curtailed.

As for the East bearing the cost of construction, this inference was badly shattered when the On-to-the-Bay association drew to the attention of the Commission that 40 per cent. of the \$53,000,000 which the project including terminal facilities has cost, was financed by the sale of Mid-Western lands collected in cash "and" to quote the brief, "as there is still over twenty millions unpaid on contracts, it is possible that a further substantial sum may be realized."

Live Interest Advisable

In view of the apparent anxiety on the part of some Eastern interests to hamper and perhaps desecrate the Hudson Bay route it is important that the people of the west give close attention to the representations which have already been made, follow them up and see to it that their interest in the project is not lost sight of.

Letter From The Queen

Robert Cranston, of Caledonia, Ont., has received a letter from Queen Elizabeth acknowledging an unusual gift he sent her. Mr. Cranston made the gift, a wooden paper knife, from oak recovered from the battleship Mohawk sunk at the mouth of the Grand river in the war of 1812.

Praise For The People

Edna Jacques, Canadian poet, returned from a tour of the drought areas with praise for "the grandest people in the world." She told of one man at Briercrest, Sask., who got a good crop for the first time in seven years, sold it for \$400 and came to church to place \$40 on the collection plate.

Copper comes from the word "Cyprus," which island was famous for its copper mines.

Hudson Maxim, inventor of Maximite and high explosives, was born on Feb. 3, 1853.

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Noted War-Time Aviator

Captain Morley Carter Killed In Automobile Accident In Ontario

Captain Morley Carter, 49-year-old noted war-time flyer, killed in an automobile accident near Barrie, Ont., was buried in Orillia, with military and Masonic honors.

Capt. Carter enlisted in 1915 in the Royal Air Force. After training for several months he was sent to France for active flying and received decorations several times for distinguished service. He was one of four airmen sent to Italy to aid the Italians against the Germans and of the four was the only one to reach the scene.

After the war, Capt. Carter was with the Ontario air force patrolling the north and making government surveys. He was also connected with the Dominion and Saskatchewan air forces. A year ago he came east from Saskatchewan and has been with the Ontario air force since.

Should Advertise Wheat

Dr. Hind Advocates Fewer Acres And Larger Yields To Lower Production Cost

Canada should send experts to world wheat countries, particularly Russia, "to keep us posted," Dr. E. Cora Hind of Winnipeg, told the Women's Canadian Club at Toronto.

"Russia is, and may be, increasingly a menace to Canada in the wheat market of the world," she said, adding the world could do without Canadian wheat unless the price is right.

Dr. Hind, speaking after a two-year globe-trotting trip in which she visited 27 countries, declared Canadian wheat should be produced on fewer acres with larger yields per acre and at lower costs. It should be sold at the world price.

Canada, she said, should have more and better advertising in other countries.

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Increase In Auto Sales

The Dominion bureau of statistics reported Canada's October sales of new motor vehicles totalled 5,847 units at \$6,552,261 against 4,021 at \$4,590,475 in October, 1936, an increase of 45.1 per cent. in number and 42.7 per cent. in value.

Compulsory military training is a custom among men of the Masai, a people of East Africa.

Cork, being half air, is five times lighter than water.

Palestine Administration

Sir Harold Alfred MacMichael Has Received Appointment

Sir Harold Alfred MacMichael, veteran African administrator, was appointed high commissioner and commander-in-chief for Palestine and high commissioner for Trans-Jordan.

He will succeed General Sir Arthur Grenfell Wauchope, whose resignation due to poor health was made known Oct. 28. The colonial office announced the new appointment would become effective at the end of February.

Sir Harold, governor and commander-in-chief of Tanganyika Territory, East Africa, since 1934, will succeed to the task of restoring peace to the Holy Land, where the long conflict of Arab and Jew has produced nearly two years of violence and bloodshed.

He has been in British government service in Africa 32 years and was intelligence and political officer of the British expedition which in November, 1916, reoccupied Darfur, on the western Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, after a native uprising.

Appointment of Sir Harold MacMichael to succeed Sir Arthur Wauchope, announced in London, was generally well received in Jerusalem.

Arab circles declared Sir Harold's knowledge of Arabs and their language would be of great help to him in dealing with Palestine problems. Jewish leaders gave assurance they would offer the high commissioner full co-operation in the task of pacifying the Holy Land.

ALICE STEVENS' RECIPES

WATCH TEMPERATURES IN DEEP-FAT FRYING

Doughnuts belong to the colder winter months. They are frowned upon by many people because they are considered hard to digest. They certainly are not an ideal food for children and invalids but an active person can digest doughnuts if they have been properly made and are eaten in moderation.

The temperature of the fat is most important. If the fat is too cold the doughnuts become soaked with fat. If the fat becomes too hot, it decomposes. It should not be smoking hot.

Test the temperature with a little of the uncooked doughnut mixture or with a little bread. A small cube of bread should turn a golden brown in 60 seconds, if raw foods are to be cooked.

The kettle for deep-fat frying should be deep and should be of heavy material. An iron one is best. It takes a long time to heat up but once the pan and fat are heated through, they remain at a uniform temperature.

If the fat has been used several times, it is wise to clarify it. Add a few slices of raw potatoes and heat gradually. The potato will absorb some of the strong odors. Strain the hot fat through a cloth over a strainer. This removes all the solid particles and pieces of burned food.

Lard is used a good deal for deep-fat frying. Some of the lard substitutes made of vegetable oils are even more satisfactory but a combination is advised. Fat rendered from poultry is excellent.

While you have a quantity of fat on hand for deep-fat frying, why not try some fritters? They are a variation of doughnuts and are cooked in the same manner. Diced up fruit may be added to the fritter batter.

APPLE FRITTERS

1 cup flour
1½ teaspoons baking powder
3 tablespoons sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup milk
1 egg
Mix and sift the dry ingredients, beat the egg and add the milk. Stir the wet ingredients into the dry ones. Add the apple which has been cut into small pieces. Drop by spoonful into the hot fat and fry like doughnuts.

Readers are invited to write to Alice Stevens' Home Service for free advice on home cooking and household problems. Address letters to Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

Deserved The Fine

A splashing motorist at Ripley, Derbyshire, drove through a pool of water at the side of the road and splashed two persons with muddy water, one of them a policeman in plain clothes. In court the motorist was fined 15s. and his license endorsed for driving without reasonable consideration for other persons using the road.

A Frenchman, Nicholas Appert, is known as the father of the tin can. The hermetically sealed container was invented by him in 1809 in order to feed the French army.

Health LEAGUE of CANADA
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ARTICLE No. 20

A Cure For Cancer?

The doctor is frequently asked by the laity if any progress is being made towards a cure for cancer. It is apparent that the majority of people regard cancer as a single disease, much the same in this regard as tuberculosis. This attitude is encouraged by the constant search in the laboratories of the world for a real cause of cancer. If there is a single cause of cancer it is reasonable to assume that there may be a single remedy for the affection.

What Are The Prospects For Such A Discovery?

From what is known of the cause of cancer it is generally agreed that the change of a healthy cell or group of cells in the body to cancer is caused by something within the cells themselves. This change of an orderly regulated pattern to one of riot, may be modified by heredity; by electrical, chemical or other change in the body and by external irritation from a great variety of substances. It may well be, indeed it is more than likely, that the agents mentioned incite changes in the cell which encourage the growth of cancer.

From the foregoing, which forms a group of well-authenticated facts, it is apparent that there is no single cause of cancer. In view of this it is improbable, though not certain, that cancer is a single disease.

Eliminate The Causes

Even if this is true one need not be discouraged. Knowing the many predisposing causes of cancer, the first objective is to eliminate these causes as far as possible. A great deal can be done in this direction. No longer need workers in X-ray and radium; workers in tar and shale oils, fear cancer from these agents. Mouth hygiene and moderation in the use of tobacco would prevent many cancers of the lips and mouth cavity. Syphilis, a frequent excitant of cancer, can be controlled. Knowledge of the early signs of cancerous and pre-cancerous conditions would send the victim for observation at an early date when the prospect for prevention and cure are the maximum. Exposure to tropical sun, to sand storms and winds, lax midwifery supervision and habits of life provocative of irritation may all be avoided. Regular periodical medical examination would serve to catch a lot of cancers in the making and save countless lives.

Prospect For A Single Cure Not Promising

No, the prospect for a single universal cure for cancer is not reassuring. It may come, but in the meantime, the cures we have are reasonably good. The pity of it is that these cures are not fully taken advantage of. In a host of cases they are used too late. Cancer in the early stage is curable.

Next article: Cancer and Fear.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to—The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

Scientists have revealed that apple pie loses the fruit's vitamins. The anti-scurvy substance in fruits and vegetables, Vitamin C, decreases about 80 per cent. when apples are made into pie.

Ants are the dominating creatures of the tropical forests.

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Vast Statue Of Britannia Will Command Entrance To Boulogne Inner Harbor

Early next Spring, on a date yet to be determined, the vast statue of Britannia, which is to command the entrance of the inner harbor of Boulogne, will be unveiled with appropriate ceremonies.

This statue will be visible for miles around; it will be nearly 100 feet high from the base to the tip of the trident held aloft. Britannia's shield will be nearly 10 feet in diameter, and will be of beaten brass gilded in gold leaf. The whole of the figure has been made out of six enormous blocks, that used for the head weighing 23 tons before carving. A stone from each of the British Dominions has been included in the base.

As they pass to and from the Channel, travellers will see this statue, somewhat in the same manner as "Liberty" is seen in New York. Britannia is intended as a symbol of the past and present friendship of the two democracies.

The sculptor is Felix Desruelles. His conception is that of a Britannia completely armed and ready, but calm and serene and confident in her strength and her right. She has a scarf, emblem of her command of the seas, gracefully draped around her shoulders.

"My Britannia," declares M. Desruelles, "is intended to be an artistic embodiment of the robust and gallant British race, modest in heroism, unhesitating before the great sacrifice, and prepared to give lavishly her gold and her life."—Bulletin of the Railways of France.

Growing In Importance

Chick Hatchery Business In Canada Becoming Valuable

The importance and volume which the chick hatchery business has assumed in Canada in the last few years may not be generally appreciated. During the 1937 hatching season, 12,000,000 chicks were produced and sold by over 500 breeders and hatchery-men operating under the Record of Performance and Hatchery Approval Policies, administered by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. To produce these chicks, 21,500,000 eggs were set, enough to fill 135 freight cars and make a train over one mile long. All of these eggs were produced by flocks which had been culled, that is, the poor birds as regards egg production or meat type removed. Practically all of these flocks were also blood-tested as an insurance against outbreaks of pullorum disease in the offspring. A large number of flocks were headed by Record of Performance males—males whose female ancestors for two or more generations had laid over two hundred two-ounce eggs per year.

Noted Friendly Attitude

Lord Cecil Comments On His Visit To United States

The friendly attitude prevalent in the United States toward Great Britain was commented upon by Viscount Cecil of Chelwood on his return to England from a visit to Canada and the United States.

Arriving aboard the Berengaria, he said he had "found the greatest friendliness toward this country and toward those things for which this country stands."

"There is the greatest interest in foreign politics in America at the present time," he added. "More people are coming to the belief that international co-operation is the only way out of international questions."

Referring to recent international talks, Lord Cecil, awarded the 1937 peace prize, said "anything that improves the relationship between this country and other countries, especially with France with whom we have worked so many years, is all to the good."

Lucky Charms Popular

More than 250,000 "lucky charms" are sold every year in New South Wales. "Nine out of ten people in all walks of life are wearers of charms," one dealer said. "They go out of fashion like women's hats, and new charms are manufactured to take their place."

Secret Of Popularity

New York Doctor Made Friends Of Patients And Staff

What it takes to be "the most sought-after" doctor in the greatest city of the United States is told by a physician in a new book, "Harlow Brooks, Man and Doctor."

Harlow Brooks, who died last year, was the doctor more sought after than any other in New York city. The qualities he used are told by his intimate friend, Dr. John J. Moorhead, writer of the book.

Dr. Brooks was a genius for making friends among patients and staff. Even the captain of a ferryboat on which Dr. Brooks rode nearly every day never failed to put back to the dock if he saw Dr. Brooks arriving too late to catch the boat.

He not only checked a patient's personal history but the history of his family as well. He really liked people, Dr. Moorhead said, and added:

"Time and again I have seen him glancing around a patient's room for some indication as to the person's character or interests."

He had the ability to get wayward children to come and see him and to reinterest them in their parents. He had kindly ruses to get husbands whose wives were worried about them to see a doctor.

He put the study of a patient as a human being ahead of the findings which might be made by test tube, microscope slide, and other apparatus, although he, himself, was one of the leaders in developing the scientific and laboratory side of medicine.

Predicts Cutworm Outbreak

Infestation Of Pale Western Cutworm In Saskatchewan

Most severe infestation of pale western cutworm yet experienced on the prairies is forecast by K. M. King, federal government entomologist at Saskatoon. In an organized survey of the cutworm population, it has been found that the entire southwest section of Saskatchewan, as far north as Macklin and as far east as a point on the U.S. boundary directly south of Moose Jaw, is infested. In most of this area the infestation is severe and in a strip angling from the south central region toward the west central part of the province the situation appears serious.

Wherever there was a crop in the southwest next spring, the outbreak would be bad, Mr. King predicted, although the weather might help control the pest.

Mr. King advised early cultivation and late seeding as a means of controlling the worms.

Locomotive Fuel Costs

Averages \$20.04 Every Hundred Miles For Passenger Engine

A passenger locomotive on a Canadian railway will haul a train 100 miles at a full cost of \$20.04. That was the average in 1935; the cost was a little less in each of the five preceding years. So when a motorist pays \$1.25 for the necessary five gallons of gasoline to fuel a small car for 100 miles, he is not getting such a bargain, after all.

Freight locomotives in the year mentioned averaged \$34.92 per hundred miles for fuel; switching engines, \$20.28. They burn chiefly bituminous coal, average cost \$4.29 a ton, which in 1935 ran to \$26,333,312. The oil-burners consumed 48,956,800 gallons, which sounds formidable but represents only \$1,404,458 in cash. We may not have any wood burning locomotives, strictly speaking, but wood is used for starting fires, to the extent of 9,534 cords in a year, and gasoline used for fuel by the rail motorcars was valued at \$97,092. The total fuel bill of all Canadian lines in 1935 was \$27,867,440.—Sarnia Canadian-Observer.

Teacher—"A fool can ask questions that a wise man can't answer." Johnnie—"No wonder we failed in our examination."

King Leopold III. of Belgium, is 36 years old. 2233

Invented By Canadian

Treatment Cures Men Who Were Gassed During Great War

The following article is from The People, London: Tomorrow is a day of new hope for thousands of ex-soldiers who, nearly 20 years after the Great War, are still suffering from the effects of gas poisoning.

With the opening of a clinic in London, a battery of secret machines will begin curing men who for years have sought relief in vain.

General Sir Hubert Gough, friend of ex-soldiers, heard of John Lewis Marchant, 43-year-old Walton-on-Thames motor mechanic, who, ever since he was demobilized, suffered the distress of asthma.

Marchant could not lie down, dared not go to bed, and for 15 years had to snatch whatever rest he could in a chair.

To-day he is a new man—cured after he had given up hope!

Miss Barbara Beresford, honorary secretary of the society for providing free treatment of respiratory diseases, told me:

"General Gough, our chairman, arranged for Marchant to try the Duke-Fingard Treatment. News of his complete recovery brought many letters from ex-soldier sufferers."

"It is to cure them that we are opening this new clinic at 32 Uxbridge Road, Ealing, London."

"Already we have clinics working full time at Slough and Manchester and another is to be opened in Scotland."

"Cases which have baffled Harley street specialists have been cured by the treatment which was invented by a Canadian chemist and perfected by his American nephew."

"Treatment is given by a small machine which resembles a wireless set."

"Air, sucked into the apparatus by an electric fan, is electrically heated and driven over 12 trays of medication which it picks up in invisible form."

"Patients in sealed rooms breathe the air, which kills the germs in their lungs."

Repairing Famous Monument

Dome Of Taj Mahal Will Be Made Damp-Proof

Plans to make the dome of the 300-year-old Taj Mahal in Agra, India, damp-proof are under consideration by the authorities. While there appears to be no danger of the great dome in the centre of the famous white marble mausoleum giving way, carved stones placed on it in recent years have added greatly to its weight and may be removed.

Concrete added to the original roofing has not achieved the main purpose of making it damp-proof to the extent anticipated. The great monument, one of the world's most beautiful buildings, was recently inspected by Rao Bahadur Dikshit, Director-General of Archaeology.

The only man who ever had two makes of automobiles named after him was R. E. Olds—first the Oldsmobile and then the Reo, which got its name from his initials.

Faith In Western Canada In Spite Of Serious Set-Backs Occurring In Recent Years

A State Of Mind

Peace And Contentment Are Only Found Within Oneself

Mrs. Amy Johnson Mollison, after an exciting and spectacular career as an aviator, says she wants peace and quiet. She has gone into the English countryside to find it.

Environment may have something to do with it, but primarily peace and contentment is a state of mind. It is not a question of solitude; it comes from within. It can be enjoyed in a crowded apartment or in a country cottage nestling in a pretty woodland and a placid stream running by.

Riches and contentment, someone has said, come, not from the multitude of our possessions but from the fewness of our wants. We cannot get peace and quiet if we are continually striving for the things that are beyond us. If we do not overspend our incomes, nor wish to do so; if we do not yearn for social or business conquests, or for adventures beyond our strength, then we can be happy. Poor people are often happier than rich because so long as they have enough to live on comfortably, a job and friends around them they have all that they reasonably expect out of life. People who have money to indulge themselves in luxuries, or who have had opportunities of living adventurous lives, may pine for more money, more ventures, and they never have peace of mind. There are more neurotics among the well-to-do than among the poor.

A popular song of many years ago had it that "A merry heart is a purse well-lined." That is just another way of saying that it is better to be content than rich. And after all, that is the sense in which most people are rich.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Motorists Boycott Bridge

Roads Leading To New Structure In Scotland Not Good

Although it reduces the distance between Glasgow and Fife fully 10 miles, Scotland's new \$1,750,000 wonder bridge over the Firth of Forth at Kincardine is being boycotted by motorists. Automobile drivers are taking the longer route through Stirling, and congestion at the notorious Stirling bottleneck is as great as ever. The motorists, however, declare that they will not use the new bridge until the bad roads approaching it on the Stirlingshire side are improved.

Landlady: "You seem very hard to please, Mr. Simpkins."

Lodger: "How's that?"

Landlady: "Well, more than a dozen boarders have used that towel to-day—and you're the first one to complain about it."

Stitch These! The More the Merrier



Household Arts by Alice Brooks

Cross Stitch Towels with Seven Bright Kittens

PATTERN 5816

You've no idea what fun it is to stitch these bright and cheery kitten towels or what fun it is to use them! Make a set or two for gifts... your friends will thoroughly enjoy the gay note these kittens bring to their household tasks. Use bright floss for the eight-to-the-inch crosses, for the gayer these towels are, the more welcome they'll be. In pattern 5816 you will find a transfer pattern of seven motifs averaging 5 1/4 x 6 1/4 inches; illustrations of stitches used; material requirements; color suggestions.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

It is unfortunate that recent drouth years in Western Canada have coincided with a period during which the price of wheat and other grains has been very low. Partly owing to a temporary surplus produced by unusual world crops immediately before 1929, partly from a false alarm created over alleged world overproduction of wheat, partly as the consequence of excessive nationalistic policies in normal grain-importing countries, and partly as part of a general break in all commodity prices some years ago, there has existed a condition in Western Canada in which crops which were unusually small have had to be sold at unusually low unit prices. Though it is not my intention to make any forecast on the course of wheat prices, I may point out that much of that economic suffering in Western Canada which is charged to drouth has resulted from exceptionally low wheat prices. This year, owing to the unusual distribution of the rainfall, two large sections of the Prairie Provinces have produced ample yields per acre and, with the present prices for wheat, the farmers of these areas are in receipt of entirely satisfactory incomes.

A survey of Western Canada has just brought out the fact that the rural population is actually increasing; this at a time when the greatest pessimism concerning its future has existed in other quarters. The picture of Western Canada as a desert inhabited by unfortunate and broken-hearted paupers is the greatest travesty possible. It is, in fact, a community of courageous men and women, which has suffered serious economic difficulties, but in which most of the people still maintain a convinced faith in their destiny.

I have previously mentioned that an increasing number of the farmers were actually born in Western Canada. These enterprising and progressive people have a deep-rooted faith in the country which is their home, and I have no hesitation whatever in saying that the great majority of them will resent very deeply the campaign of propaganda carried on to prove that they are unfortunate sufferers whose lot can be alleviated only by moving them away from their homes. By Sir Edward Beatty in the London Times.

Sampled Oriental Delicacy

Toronto Woman Found 1,000-Year-Old Eggs Palatable

Eggs 1,000 years old were sampled by Mrs. G. Ernest Forbes of Toronto, when on a recent visit to the Orient.

The Montreal Women's Club, before whom Mrs. Forbes was speaking, was given the recipe: Take fresh eggs, dip them in a solution of lime; when coated with the plaster, bury them in soft mud. When disinterred, she said, they resemble coffee gelatin and they then are sliced thin.

"They are not really bad," she commented as the audience laughed. A Chinese dish recommended to Canadian housewives was "chicken velvet," made by pounding the white meat of chicken with white of egg.

The great desire for education is a notable feature of life in the Orient, said Mrs. Forbes. Women in Japan find it difficult to enter the universities, although there are women's colleges in that country and those who wish to acquire the highest qualifications have to come to the United States or Canada to study. They succeed remarkably well in western universities and take positions of leadership after return to their own communities, once they have lived down suspicion that they may have deserted the ways of their own countries.

Mrs. Forbes touched on the professional training given women in the University at Chengin, in West China, and of the tremendous benefits these women are able to render their communities after graduation.

The youngster was going to a party.

"Now, dear," said the mother, "what are you going to do when you've had enough to eat?"

Rapped the youngster: "Come home!"

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J. E. Gooder - Editor & Manager

The World of Wheat.

By H. G. L. STRANGE

Director, Research Department
Searle Grain Co. Ltd.

"Garnet wheat will be removed from the grade 3 Northern."

The above announcement was recently made by Hon. W. D. Euler, Minister of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa.

This news will bring anxiety to every farmer who is growing Garnet.

Some important queries will at once spring to the producer's mind. Should I continue with Garnet? What is the price of Garnet likely to be? Should I use a different variety? If a different variety, then which one?

The truth is that Garnet has been a good variety for northern farmers, for it has enabled thousands to stay on their farms and to pay their taxes. The bald fact is, too, that there is no variety available at the moment that will, with complete satisfaction, replace Garnet.

Having decided to change the grades, in order to help those farmers who may produce No. 3 Northern, the further duty of the government should specifically to help the Garnet growers. This can be done by increasing the appropriations to plant breeding institutions, so that excellent work now going forward to develop a new early variety can be "stepped up".

I will now endeavor to discuss the queries propounded.

"Should I continue with Garnet wheat, or should I use a different variety? If a different variety, then which one?"

There are questions that are disturbing those farmers who now depend on garnet for a living.

It is true that over 200 million bushels of Garnet, mixed in No. 2 and No. 3 Northern, have in recent years been bought and used by millers and bought, moreover, at relatively good prices. Yet very little pure Garnet, under that brand name, has so far been sold. What the price of Garnet will be when offered under a special "Garnet" grade name, therefore remains to be seen.

For those who desire to change from Garnet to any other variety, and who operate in north-eastern Saskatchewan, - a rust area - I suggest that Thatcher might be considered, for while it is seven days later than Garnet, yet it is three days earlier than Marquis. Fertilizer would make Thatcher still earlier.

For north-western Saskatchewan, and for the whole of northern Alberta, where rust is not a menace, Red Bobs, being six days earlier has much merit. Some farmers have even found that Marquis with fertilizer is early enough for certain areas.

Reward is a high quality early wheat, but the yield, unfortunately, is rather low.

Following factors have tended to raise price: U.S. Department of Agriculture reduces World wheat production estimate - Kansas winter rye acreage smaller and condition lower than a year ago - Reduction in Japanese rice estimate - Small corn surplus remains in Argentina -

Argentine corn crop needs moisture - South African wheat crop smallest in number of years.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Australia offers wheat freely - Danish wheat, oats, barley and rye production larger than last year - Compulsory admixture of potato flour in bakery products throughout Austria - Increase in Japan's cane sugar production - European crop outlook better than a year ago - Curtailed consumption and use of substitutes reduces wheat buying.

Do Not Favor Large School Unit

The central committee charged with the responsibility of taking the vote on the proposed Large School Unit extending from the vicinity of Airdrie to the vicinity of Olds wish to report to the people of this area the results of the movement up to the present.

Forms for taking the vote and letters of instruction were mailed to secretaries of all school districts within the proposed school division, with the request that the board of each district arrange for a canvass of all voters in their district that we may express to the Department of Education the desire of the voters concerning this issue.

To date eighteen districts have returned their completed forms, the result of the vote being as follows:

Name of District	No. of District	Votes For	Votes Against	No. of Voters in District
Abernethy	2060	0	34	54
Bearberry	3118	2	43	71
Berrydale	409	16	54	76
Clovermount	811	0	48	54
Dog Pound	3697	4	41	49
Eidswold	2990	0	23	35
Elba	2537	2	29	37
Elkton	1635	1	5	27
Innis Lake	2237	2	35	52
Mona	4441	27	7	42
Mountain	1505	0	28	—
Mount Hope	1961	0	67	70
Mowers	780	0	29	41
New Berghal	779	0	9	—
Rugby	1256	3	38	52
Sundre	3848	7	25	—
Water Valley	3948	2	13	40
Zella	1078	1	60	70

Total 67 608

The committee urge all districts that have not done so to complete the canvass as soon as possible, as the question of forming the proposed school division is to be raised again in 1938.

It is suggested that where action concerning the forming of an association has not already been taken, that the letter sent out with the forms be given consideration at the annual meetings.

Ross Phillips
Secretary of Committee.

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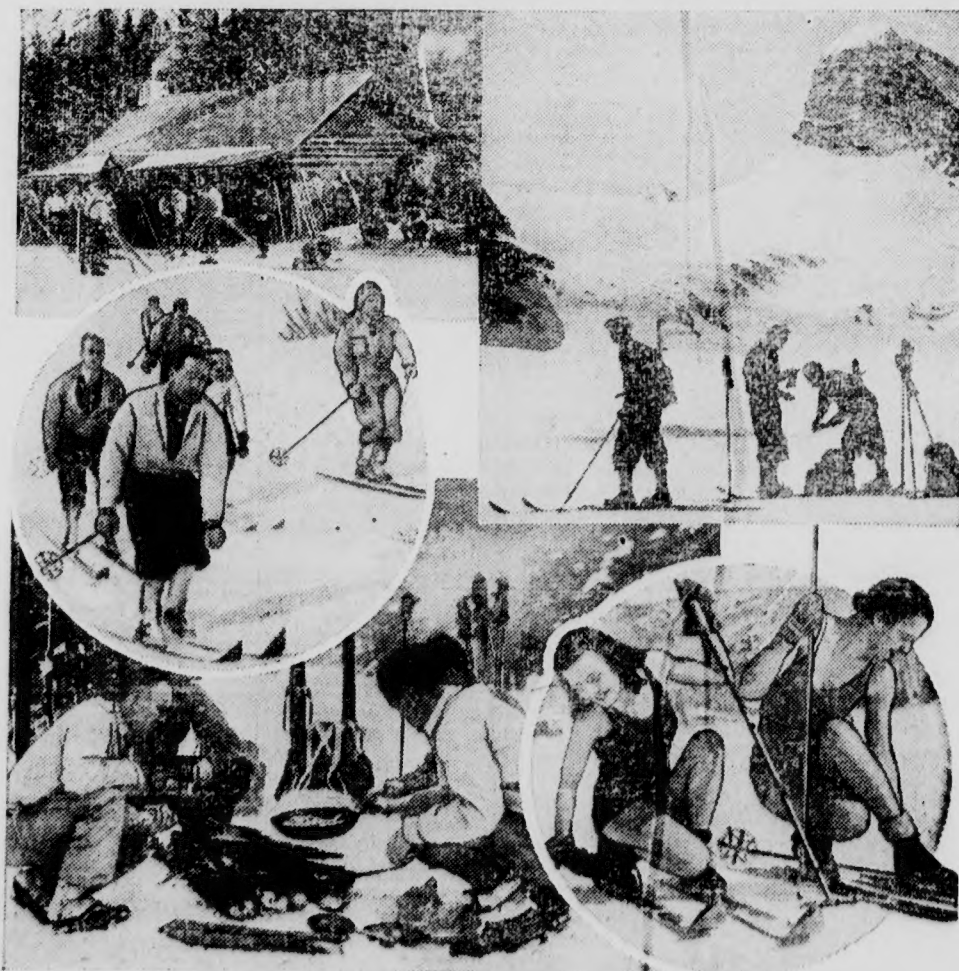
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in the west. From Montreal and eastern United States thousands travel on the "Ski Specials" to the Laurentians each week-end, and on the prairies and in British Columbia other thousands visit Banff, Sunshine Valley and other Canadian Pacific resorts for the winter season. Layout shows, upper left, the ski club on Grouse Mountain, Vancouver; upper right,

skiers halting for a breather on a high pass above Sunshine Valley, Canadian Rockies; middle left is a group of Winnipeg enthusiasts on one of the ski trails south of that city, and lower left shows Laurentian Mountain enthusiasts preparing luncheon on the trail. Lower right are two ultra-enthusiasts-object, the famous Laurentian sun-tan.

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cluding Young People's meeting every
alternate Sunday
Wednesday Evenings, 8 o'clock
Prayer Service.

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Rev. J. R. Geeson, Pastor

11:00 a.m.: Sunday School
7:30 p.m.: Service.
Westcott 11:00 a.m.
Westerdale 3:00 p.m.

EVANGELICAL

Rev. A. S. Caughell, Pastor

Sunday Services:

10:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
11:30 a.m. Sunday School.
7:30 p.m. Evening Service.
Monday 4 p.m. Tr. Christian Endeavor.
Monday 5 p.m. Intermediate ..
Monday 7:30 p.m. Senior ..
Wednesday Evening, at 8, Prayer Mtg

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rev. A. D. Currie.

January 9th.—Sunday after Epiphany
Evensong 3 p.m.

Please take note that the annual meet-
ing will be held immediately after the
service for the purpose of receiving reports
for the past year and electing officers for
1938.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. J. J. Kuring, Pastor.

Westcott—English Every Sunday 11 a.m.
German—First, third and fifth Sun-
days at 10 a.m.

Didsbury—German Every Sunday at 2:30
p.m. except the fourth

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10:39 a.m. Daily—Except Sundays
6:19 p.m. Daily—"Chinook"
6:25 p.m. Sundays—"Chinook."

SOUTHBOUND—

4:50 a.m. Daily.
11:54 a.m. Daily—"Chinook."
5:04 p.m. Daily—Except Sundays
1:46 p.m. Sundays—"Chinook."

Burnside Notes

Miss McLean, of the staff of the
Mental Hospital at Ponoka, spent
New Year's at her home here.

Miss S. Zook and Mrs. B. Woods
spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs.
N. Eckel.

Mr. George Metz visited his brother
in Vancouver for the holidays.

A gathering of neighbors chari-
varied the newly married Mr. and
Mrs. Clare Herron on Tuesday evening
last and report an enjoyable time.

Mrs. N. Eckel, Miss Evelyn
Charlton, Sam McAllister and Robt
Eckel were Sunday dinner guests
with Mr. and Mrs. George Burns
and family.

Lone Pine W.I. will meet at the
home of the secretary, Mrs. W.
McCulloch next Thursday afternoon
January 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fulkerth
and family and Mr. and Mrs. Glen
Fulkerth and family spent Sunday
with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCulloch.

Mr. David Thoman, Samuel and
Ruth spent the holidays in Edmon-
ton. On their return they were ac-
companied by Miss Marjorie Mc-
Allister who will visit here for some
time.

Mr. Gus Bittner and Mrs. Walter
McCulloch and Jessie were Sunday
dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs.
Otto Bittner

Mr and Mrs Fred Thompson and
Mr and Mrs Alfie Thompson were
Sunday visitors with Mr and Mrs
C L Cipperley.

We are giving a 20 per cent dis-
count on all lines of men's and boys
skating outfits.—T. E. Scott.

Melvin Notes.

A Happy and Prosperous New
Year to all.

Mr and Mrs Dupont and family
spent Sunday afternoon with Mr
Gourdine at Inverness. Mr and
Mr Eddie Krebs were Sunday evening
guests at the Dupont home.

Mr and Mrs Dupont, accompa-
nied by Mrs Charles Youngs visited
Calgary on Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Walker, of Calgary,
spent the week end with the John-
ston young people and attended the
skating party on the river on Friday
night.

Mr and Mrs Roy McNaughton
and family spent Sunday with the
latter's mother at Eagle Hill.

Miss Hazel Ray is back at her
duties, after spending her holidays
at her home at Garfield.

Miss Dorothy Youngs returned to
Balzac after spending the holidays
at her home here.

Don't forget the dance at Melvin
Hall on Friday, Jan 14. Hill Billies
orchestra of Calgary.

Mr and Mrs Alex McNaughton
were Xmas guests of Mr and Mrs
Roy McNaughton.

Mr and Mrs August Krebs and
Lester spent the holiday with Mr
and Mrs Allen at Edmonton. Mr
and Mrs Allen and family returned
with them for a few days and at-
tended the New Year's dance at the
hall.

Mr and Mrs Glen Johnston and
family of Cremona were Christmas
guests at the home of their parents
Mr and Mrs Peter Johnston.

Much sympathy is extended to
Mr and Mrs Peter Johnston and
family on account of the death of
Mrs Johnston's father, Mr Samuel
Troyer.

Mr and Mrs P. Daniels returned
to Calgary last week end after
spending the holidays with the lat-
ter's parents, Mr and Mrs Godfrey
Carlson.

We are pleased to report that
Mr John Krueger's eye is much im-
proved after spending two weeks
in a Calgary hospital. Mr and Mrs
Krueger are expected home soon.

The New Year's dance at the hall
was a decided success and the board
were gratified with the large crowd
that attended.

Westcott Notes

Westcott Women's Institute met
at the home of Mrs. Roland Webster
on Thursday, December 30th, 1937,
with thirteen members and three
visitors present. Christmas carols
were sung and roll-call was answered
by naming one of the joys of Christ-
mas.

A short program consisted of songs
by Mr. Roland Webster and Rodney
Webster, and recitations by Yvonne
Steckley and Eileen Spillman.

It was decided to entertain the
members and their husbands and
families at a Valentine party to be
held on the evening of February 11th
at the home of Mrs. J. Hughes.

The exchange of Christmas gifts
in the form of a Christmas pie creat-
ed many laughs, especially the box
of handkerchiefs.

Officers elected for 1938-39 were:
President, Mrs. A. Robertson, Jr.
Vice-President, Mrs. H. Levagood
Secretary, Mrs. J. Hughes
Pianist, Mrs. Ed. Klinck
Press Reporter, Mrs. J. Robertson
Directors: Mrs. H. Steckley,
Mrs. H. Levagood, Mrs. Ed. Klinck.

Conveners for the different papers
were:

League of Nations, Mrs. Webster
Handicrafts, Mrs. Befus
Home Economics, Mrs. H. Leva-
good

Canadianization, Mrs. J. Robert-
son
Education & Better Schools, Mrs.
J. Spillman

Agriculture & Canadian Indus-
tries, Mrs. M. Jacobson
Legislation, Mrs. R. Macfarlane
Child Welfare, Mrs. Ed. Klinck

A vote of thanks was given to the
retiring president, Mrs. Webster,
who had been in office four years.
The program for 1938 was then
completed.

Mrs. J. Spillman and Mrs. F.
Dexter were appointed to buy the
material to be made up for the bazaar
next fall.

The meeting closed and lunch
was served by the hostess. The
January meeting will be held at the
home of Mrs. J. Robertson.

Items of Interest

Some local shippers really lost
money on their turkeys. According
to a letter received by Carstairs
Meat Market from Beavermouth,
small gold nuggets were found in
some of the birds shipped from Car-
stairs and stated that they were
looking the turkeys over very care-
fully in the hope of finding more.—
Carstairs News

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Lost at the Melvin Hall on New
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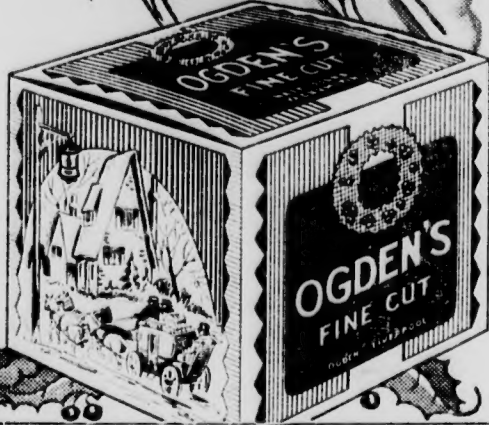
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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Sir Francis Acland, Liberal member of parliament, quit the Church of England in protest against its attitude on divorce.

Dr. Alexander Alekhine of Paris won the world's chess championship by defeating Dr. Max Euwe, Amsterdam, who won the title from Dr. Alekhine in 1935.

It was reported Hugh R. Wilson, assistant secretary of state, soon will be appointed U.S. ambassador to Germany to replace William E. Dodd.

Sonja Henie, queen of the ice and Norway's latest contribution to motion picture stardom, was made a Knight of Saint Olaf, by King Haakon.

Queen Elizabeth and Princess Elizabeth are working on a sampler designed by Lady Smith-Dorrien of the Royal School of Needlework, depicting scenes of the Coronation.

The farm placement scheme, bush work and removal from relief of physically fit single men has resulted in decrease of unemployed single men in Winnipeg to the 1934 low point, smallest since the depression.

Last year Saskatchewan produced 14,971,609 pounds of copper, an increase of more than 2,000,000 pounds over the year previous. The money value of the 1936 production was \$1,418,850.

Reasons for the comparative immunity of Canadian and United States cattle to foot-and-mouth disease will shortly be investigated by representatives of the agriculture ministry. Pensions Minister Herwald Ramsbotham told the British House of Commons.

The United States bureau of agricultural economics estimated the new Argentine wheat crop at 175,000,000 to 185,000,000 bushels. Prior to recent frosts, a yield of approximately 230,000,00 bushels was forecast. Last years crop was 249,193,000 bushels.

Must Find Something Else

Conjurors and clowns and other vaudeville artists in Germany may no longer use eggs, milk, or other edible ingredients for their tricks or jokes, according to a decree issued by the Reich's Theatre Chamber. The order is intended to aid the Four Year Plan in rendering Germany self-sufficient in its food supply. Another regulation forbids conjurers to explain how their tricks are done.

Sometimes chimney swifts fly with alternate wing beats.

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By Anne Adams



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Proving A Success

City Misfits Turned Into Real Farmers In England

There is a farm at Benson, near Wallingford, Oxfordshire, England, where misfits of the towns are being turned into useful farm workers.

It is the Wallingford farm training colony, carried on by the Christian Service union, and its colonists are lads drawn from orphanages, poor law and other institutions. In many cases stunted development manifests itself in mental dullness or even petty crimes.

Here on this 1,000-acre farm miracles are being worked. Work in health-giving surroundings, contact with the soil and learning how to handle animals are turning these lads into first-rate farm workers.

About 150 a year are being found situations, and not more than five per cent. fail to make good.

The colony has been so successful that now it cannot meet half the demand for boys, and it has become necessary to undertake improvements and expansions. These will cost £40,000 (\$200,000).

Unless this money can be obtained, its work, which has received the blessing of the ministry of labor, will be seriously hampered. An appeal is being launched.

Learned Birds' Songs

Ornithologist Able To Photograph Them At Close Range

By learning the songs of 36 different species of birds in the islands, Walter L. Donaghy, ornithologist, assigned to study bird life in the U.S. National park at Honolulu, has solved the problem of photographing the birds.

The latter are ordinarily too quick for anything but a telescopic camera that can take them from a distance. With his 36 different bird songs, however, he is now able to induce the birds to come near enough to be photographed with an ordinary lens.

Not A National Habit

Ice cream eating can hardly be considered a national habit in the United States. G. W. Hennericks, Washington, D.C., told the annual convention of the Ontario Association of Ice Cream Manufacturers held at Toronto. The 250,000,000 gallons manufactured every year, he said, averaged only 13 pints a year for each person.

New filling station pumps in England enable motorists to buy a quarter's worth of gasoline instead of so many gallons.

Tides in the Bay of Fundy rise to a height of 70 feet.

FLIN FLON

"The Story of Its Finding
and Position To-day"

By PRATT KUHN

To Creighton and his prospecting friends also, goes the credit for the discovery, early in January, 1915, which culminated after many vexatious delays, in Manitoba's first commercial mining enterprise, when the Flin Flon mine, under the management of the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Co., came into production in November, 1930, as Canada's third largest metallurgical enterprise.

If prospecting had not been profitable, trapping had, and while camped at the outlet of Phantom Lake, near the present site of Flin Flon, Tom Creighton, early in January, 1915, was looking for meat for his party. He saw some young willows and moose feed so started trailing along looking for moose sign. He worked his way uphill over a hump and as he got to the top he discovered a lake in the distance he hadn't known was there.

Curiosity led him to investigate and at the edge of the lake he discovered a spot uncovered of snow which showed chalcopryite in the schist.

He marked the spot which he could not thoroughly examine at the time and early in the spring of 1915 he returned and found pieces of ore projecting through the ice at the shore, which brought the firm resolve to investigate it in his characteristic, thorough manner, when the spring break-up occurred.

During the winter of 1915, Dan Mosher, unknown to his colleagues, came to Toronto and approached Jack Hammell for a grubstake, forming the Mosher-Hammell Syndicate for further prospecting in the area.

Hammell, a native of Beeton, Ontario, had found express on for his dynamic personality in many mining camps where he became a colorful figure, ever ready to assume responsibility and carry to conclusion those jobs which offered seemingly impossible obstacles. His loquacious, genial personality won for him an enviable reputation among the mining fraternity. Financial associates of Hammell in the syndicate were Alex. Fasken, Toronto solicitor, financier and mining executive, Frank Currie, hotel keeper, and Hugh Ryan. Each had a one-eighth interest in the syndicate, but Hammell acquired Ryan's interest later. The other half interest in the syndicate was shared by Tom Creighton, Dan Mosher, John Mosher, Leon Dion, Isadore Dion and Dan Milligan.

When Dan Mosher came back to Beaver Lake from Toronto, bringing supplies for a season's prospecting by the party, and an agreement with the Mosher-Hammell Syndicate, the plans of Creighton and his friends to finance their own grubstake had to be considered. Dan Mosher, in good faith, had gone so far with his plans that it left no alternative but that the others join the syndicate.

After the spring break-up, Creighton and John Mosher went in to size up Creighton's discovery of the win-

ter before. Convinced that it was a large ore body, containing copper, zinc, gold and silver, they staked six claims, the extent of their licenses, and hurried back to the syndicate base at Beaver Lake to get the rest of their party and their licenses, in order that more claims might be staked.

They Found A Bunk A Well As A Mine—Read How Well This Worked Out!

As if a sympathetic genie had conspired to aid them, a name for the discovery was already at hand. Months before, the party had picked up the remnants of a paper backed novel on a portage on the Churchill River, where some pioneer had lightened his load. "The Sunless City" was the title of this English dime novel and the leading character was Josiah Flintabatty Flonatin Esq., contracted by the prospectors to "Flin Flon". It told of a subterranean domain where gold was so plentiful that it was literally a base metal—truly the mecca sought by all prospectors. The coincidence of stumbling upon such a fanciful tale by the prospectors seems almost incredible, more so because the concluding pages of the novel had been torn off and its finders were not to know the hole through which Flin Flon reached the earth's surface, but by a strange coincidence there was a conical shaped hole ten feet in diameter and several feet deep adjacent to where the number one Flin Flon shaft was sunk. At the bottom of this hole Creighton got some rich pinnings, due to the concentration from the surrounding leached ore, and he laughingly remarked that "old Flin Flon must have shaken his gold-dust laden whiskers when he emerged from 'The Sunless City'." I'll tell you more of this work later, but here was a perfect name for their discovery—"Flin Flon".

I Discovered Tom Creighton In A Shower Bath!

I have gone over all of these facts with Tom Creighton himself, and he verified them as correct, after changing some details.

Funny thing, too, how I met Tom by pure accident. I was having a shower early in the morning and had just moved out for a rub-down when another chap stepped under the shower. When he came out I was telling him what a marvellous place Flin Flon had grown into and remarked, "I've been down in the mine and all through the upper works, smelters, etc., but I do wish I could find Tom Creighton. Down in Toronto they told me he lived in Winnipeg, but I looked there and couldn't find him. Up here they say he hasn't been around since 1930. What a kick he'd get out of this development."

Now get the picture. Here were two perfect strangers enjoying a shower and a rub, with the newspaper man doing all the talking.

Did he get a surprise when the other man said, "I'm Tom Creighton," and he was!

Next day he was away in his canoe again, prospecting with Bert Lacey, but my three-hour conversation with Tom that night is another story. We must keep on with the orderly development of the Flin Flon after its finding and naming.

This story started last week. Next issue real action starts. The "experts" can't believe such a prospect exists.



In 1916 Flin Flon Camp looked like this.

For After Dinner Speakers

Electrical Device Puts Lights Out After Ten Minutes

An electrical device designed to limit after-dinner speaking to ten minutes has been installed in Kent, England. It consists of a large face with a protruding tongue which, when the speaker begins, starts moving. After eight minutes one of the eyes winks a warning; and if the speaker overruns ten minutes the apparatus throws the whole room into darkness, giving listeners an opportunity to sneak out quietly without embarrassment.—Vancouver Sun.

Two young brothers were arguing. Said the elder, to clinch what he had been saying: "I ought to know, don't I go to school, stupid?"

"Yes," replied the other, "and you come home stupid!"

No Prejudice

Many Nationalities Living Together In Harmony

Isn't the Soo a wonderful place? Here good sense and goodwill among our many races prevails. We have Anglo-Saxons, Italians, Austrians, French, Germans, Poles, Finns, Indians and other peoples living in peace together, enjoying equal opportunity and tolerant of each other's views. And as the years go by we hear less of prejudice. We discover the good points in our neighbor and give him credit for them, for we see that he is doing his best to contribute to good Canadian citizenship. No man suffers because of his race or religion, and he is treated on his merits as a man. We have discovered in fact that to have friends we must be one. Sauld Ste. Marie Star

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WHAT HO!

—By—
RICHARD CONNELL

By Arrangement With Thomas
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CHAPTER III.—Continued

"A sure, quick cure for hives"—no, that's not it." He was about to consign this letter to the flames, when he reconsidered. "Better keep it," he remarked. "One never knows when one might have hives."

He rifled through the remaining missives, crumpling the bulk of them and pitching them into a fire-place so wide and high that a hippopotamus could have been barbecued there.

"Funny," he said. "Always losing letters. I put this one in a safe place and now I can't find the safe place. But no matter. I remember most of it."

"Tell us."

"It seems," said the Earl, "that a certain millionaire would like to take the castle."

"Take it?"

"I mean to say rent it. He wants it for one month only."

"Odd idea," remarked Lady Rosa Bingley.

"Odd fish, from what I gather," said her father. "But dripping with currency. Made it himself, I believe, though just how MacKintosh did not say."

"What's his name?"

The Earl furrowed his brow.

"Atkinson? No. Ely? No. Dixon? Fripps—no, that's our batcatcher friend. It could be Gateson. It isn't though. Whiteman? Can that be it? Or is it Catermole?"

"Never mind, father."

"I won't," said the Earl. "He'll know his own name. Bound to."

"American, of course," said Duff-Hooper.

"I daresay," replied the Earl.

"I was afraid of that," said Duff-Hooper.

"Why?"

"A poisonous lot, Americans."

"Oh, come now," said the Earl, mildly. "I shouldn't wonder if there are heaps of nice Americans."

"It would surprise me to find one," returned the captain.

"Know many?" asked Lady Rosa. "Enough," answered Duff-Hooper. "All impossible. Richer they are the more impossible they are, and I judge that this one must be a prime specimen. I hate to think of Bingley crawling with the creatures. I'd rather it were beetles."

"If you know a beetle with a thousand pounds, wire me at once," said the Earl. "I don't, myself, relish the idea of letting Americans, or Britishers, for that matter, camp here, but it is our one way to raise the wind."

"But, father," said Rosa, "will he pay a thousand pounds for just one month? That's a pretty stiff sum."

"You're telling me," said the Earl. He saw Duff-Hooper look pained.

"I heard a chap say that in the cinema," explained the Earl. "It was a picture about a rather dissolute character who did not care for constables and went about impaling them on a sword-stick, like so many butterflies, you know. Another shady individual told him that 'the heat was on and he had better scram' and he replied—"

"Tell us more about the millionaire," said Rosa.

"Delighted to," said the Earl. "MacKintosh says he is extraordinarily keen on castles. Quite castle-draft, in fact. He told Mac that he'd made up his mind when only a nipper that some day he'd have a castle of his own, and I infer that he's the sort of citizen who gets what he wants. He even spoke of buying Bingley, if he liked it. Fancy!"

"But you wouldn't sell?" said Rosa, quickly.

"Chop my nose off with a dull hoe before I'd do that," replied the Earl. "When does our millionaire arrive?"

"Any moment now," said the Earl. "He's on his way down from London."

"Suppose he doesn't take the castle?" said Duff-Hooper.

"Must you be a killjoy, Esme?" demanded the Earl. "Of course, he'll take it. At least," he added, "I pray he will."

"But if he does not?" persisted Duff-Hooper.

"In that lamentable event," said the Earl, "I shall set up in business as a batcatcher."

"I intend to be very nice to him," said Rosa. "As for you, Esme, no dirty looks."

"What?"

"Rosa means," said the Earl, "no glowerings or glarings. Can he help it if you don't dote on Americans? After all he is going to give us a much needed leg-up. It will never do to treat him as if he'd come here to pinch the Bingley rubies."

"What rubies?" asked Lady Rosa.

"Just a figure of speech, my dear," replied the Earl. "If we ever did have any they'd have gone up the spout long since, I can promise you. And now you might put that practical mind of yours to work on the problem of packing for a month's stay with sister Julia on the Isle of Man. Heaven help us all."

"Will he want to move in immediately?"

"Such, I take it, is his intention," said the Earl. He sighed.

"I'd rather spend a month with a dentist than with Julia. Why she must serve sheep-dip for port, I can't think. And her Yogis! But we can't afford to put up at an hotel, so it's ho! for the Isle of Man—if the car is still running? Is it?"

"Yes. Just fixed."

"Splendid. Well toodle on down to jolly Julia's tomorrow and leave our moneyed friend to wallow in the historic charms of old Bingley. And do remind me to show him where the bath-room is. If he couldn't find it during his month, he might be fiked."

There was a tap on the library door.

"Crump," said the Earl of Bingley. "Only he has so discreet a knock."

He called out.

"Come in, Crump."

The butler entered. He was a slow and comfortable man. The years had subtracted from his hair and added to his girth. Had he been dressed in a bathing suit, toga, kimono, serapi, or diver's outfit, he would still have looked like a butler. At the moment excitement rendered him a thought breathless.

"Beg pardon, m'lud," he said, "but there's a person behaving most queerly in the grounds."

"Is there really?" said the Earl, calmly. "Tell him not to, Crump."

"What is he doing?" asked Lady Rosa.

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"Hugging a horse, your ladyship," replied Crump.

"He should not do that here," said the Earl. "Tell him I'm an animal-lover myself, but there is a place for everything."

"Who is he, Crump?" Lady Rosa asked.

"Not knowing, can't say," said Crump.

"One of Esme's horsey pals, perhaps," suggested the Earl.

"Oh, no, m'lud," said Crump. "I am positive that no friend of Captain Duff-Hooper would have a horse like that. Why, he appears to be intoxicated and he is trying to waltz."

"Dear, dear," said the Earl, "that won't do at all, you know. Shoo him away, Crump, shoo him away at once. We are expecting an important visitor. Our millionaire's first view of Bingley should not include a squiffy stranger waltzing with a horse."

"Beg pardon, m'lud," corrected Crump, "but it is the beast which is intoxicated and trying to waltz."

"I wish he wouldn't," said the Earl. He stroiled to the window and looked out.

"I wish I had a horse that could do tricks," he remarked wistfully. "If I hadn't been born an earl, I'd have gone with a circus. And I may do so yet, Crump!"

"Yes, m'lud?"

"Just give the fellow a shilling, thank him for his performance, tell him to toddle along elsewhere."

"Yes, m'lud."

Crump filtered out of the library.

"I think, my dear Rosa," said the Earl, "that when our millionaire arrives you had better show him about the place. Would you mind?"

"I fully intend to," said Lady Rosa. "You'd take a week to it, the way you bumble on."

"I do rather humble, don't I?" said the Earl.

He marched to the fire-place.

"Must practice earling a bit," he remarked.

He stood with his back to the fire, his feet spread wide apart, his arms behind his back, and he contorted his usually vacuous features into an expression approaching haughty dignity.

"Isn't that how earls do it on the cinema?" he asked.

"Every inch an earl," laughed Rosa, and kissed him.

Crump eased his presence into the room.

"The person who was embracing the horse which was intoxicated and trying to waltz is at the door," he declared. "He states that he wishes to see the castle."

"Did he jingle, Crump?" asked the Earl.

"I heard no sound, m'lud."

"Is he an American?"

"Indubitably."

"Our millionaire!" cried the Earl.

"Pour him in, Crump."

"At once, m'lud," said Crump.

"But may I say that you are mistaken in supposing him to be a millionaire. He hasn't the look of one at all. He is young, and his clothes—well, m'lud, you saw his clothes!"

"So I did," said the Earl. "But what do clothes signify? Look at mine. Millionaires do not wear gold suits with diamond buttons, you know."

"I am sure of that, m'lud," said Crump, loftily.

"Bes'ides," said the Earl, "Americans have their own ideas, you know. Some of them dress as if their tailors were upholsterers. Trot him in, Crump."

"Excuse me, m'lud," said Crump, with a show of emotion, "but may I remind you of the object on which he arrived. Surely you recall his horse."

"Perfectly," said the Earl, glancing through the window. "He is even now munching my rose-geraniums. Ask him not to, will you, Crump?"

"Yes, m'lud."

But Crump did not go.

"If," he said, "he is selling something and you buy it, m'lud, I hope you will not hold me responsible."

"I won't," answered the Earl of Bingley. "So you need not stand there looking like a beached porpoise. Roll him in."

(To Be Continued)

Some Amazing Figures

Statistics About Telephone Show How Habit Has Grown

Statistics are dry enough, but there are some amazing figures about the telephone in the National Geographic Magazine.

New York has more telephones than all France with its 42,000,000 people, Chicago has more than all South America, and Los Angeles more than all Africa.

There are 800 people telephoning from the Atlantic to the Pacific every day, connected up at New York. One can pick up a telephone transmitter and get connection with anyone of 32,500,000. And that number is 93 per cent. of all the telephones of the world. There are seventy countries interlocked by wire or radio with the telephone system of Canada. Only Soviet Russia and New Zealand, also Greenland, are as yet unconnected with the world telephone network.

The United States records 85,000,000 phone conversations a day. The statistics do not give the number of listeners in on the rural party lines. Shades of Alexander Graham Bell!—St. Catharines Standard.

Samples Are Rich

More Gold Has Been Found In Northern Areas

Valuable gold discoveries have been made in the Contact Lake area in northern Saskatchewan. Contact Lake is located between Stanley and Lac la Ronge, about 200 miles north of Prince Albert. It is reported that prospectors in this district have traced a vein eight feet wide for more than 200 feet and have found out-cropping for an additional 600 feet. Samples of the ore assayed as high as \$633 a ton.

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Little Helps For This Week

O that Thou wouldst bless me indeed, and that Thy hand might be with me and that Thou wouldst keep me from evil, that it may not grieve me. 1 Chron. 4:10.

What I possess, or what I crave,
Brings no content great God to me.

If what I would or what I have,
Be not possessed and blessed in Thee;

What I enjoy, O make it mine,
In making me that have it, Thine.

Offer up to God all pure affections, desires and regrets, and all the bonds which link us to home, kindred and friends, together with all our works, purposes and labors. These things which are sacred will become then the matter of thanksgiving and prayer. Plans for the future, all wishes and intentions, works just begun, half done, all but completed, sympathies and affections, all these things throng through the heart and will. The only way to master them is to offer them up to Him as, once ours, always His by rights.

Illegal Possession Of Arms

**People Who Are Going Around The
Country With Death-Deal-
ing Weapons**

There must be some means of passing revolvers around or securing them of which the police are not aware. It is not done through the pawn brokers' offices because it is possible to keep a close check there.

But the plain truth is we have a number of people all over the country who are going about with death-dealing weapons in their possession. They find no trouble in keeping on hand or securing a supply of ammunition for their illegal weapons, and the blunt truth is we are doing nothing to take these guns from the people who have no right to carry them.

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High School Bonspiel. Mountain View M.D. Council Meeting

The high school boys and girls had a big time at their annual bonspiel Tuesday and Wednesday of Christmas week. Ten rinks were entered and the girls seemed to predominate, so some of the rinks were packed.

In the main event the Caithness brothers met in the finals, when Sandy won over Gordon by a score of 12-9.

The personnel of the rinks was: Sandy Caithness, Jack Edwards, Dorothy Geeson, Muriel Brightman, Gordon Caithness, John Holub, Vivian Caithness and Lloyd Erb.

In the finals of the consolation event the "Wigglers" got the best of the all girls rink, the "Ritz Sisters," by a score of 8-5.

"Wigglers": Bennie Wyman, Lois Edwards, Frank Moon and Betty Boorman.

"Ritz Sisters": Grace Topley, Gladys Geeson, Kay Adshead and Marie Lamsden.

In the main event the prizes were stockings donated by Berscht & Sons and cups and saucers by Builders' Hardware.

In the consolation event the prizes were ketchup from Jenkins' and baking powder from Halliday's.

The high school students wish to thank the merchants for the prizes and the Curling Club for use of the rink.

The regular meeting of the council of Mountain View municipality was held at Olds on December 22nd last, with Reeve Percy Saunders in the chair.

Applications were approved for 17 tax consolidations, and two applications for old age pension were approved.

The matter of the erection of new hospitals at Olds and Didsbury was brought before the council, but it was decided to lay the matter over until the January meeting.

H. L. Taggart was appointed returning officer for the forthcoming election of councillors. Elections will be held in Divisions 3 and 6.

A claim for damages to a car which had driven into a broken culvert was received. It was pointed out that the driver was aware of the hole in the culvert, and the claim was therefore disallowed.

A grant of \$200 was made to the Salvation Army.

A number of cases for relief were considered and accounts and pay sheets were passed for payment.

T. E. Scott is offering 20 per cent discount on all men's sweaters and windbreakers.

Mr. Milo Cressman, of Staveland, was visiting relatives here during the holidays.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Miss Dorothy Hugert was a New Year's visitor in the southern city.

There will be no Literary meeting at Westcott on Friday evening of this week.

Misses Elsie and Jessie Topley, R.N.'s spent Christmas with their parents here.

Boys genuine horsehide moccasins regular \$1.50, to clear for \$1.10—T. E. Scott.

Mr. Otto Mueller, of Ghost Pine, spent the New Year's holidays with his sister, Mrs. A. C. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lee visited with Calgary friends during New Year's weekend.

Mr. G. N. Howe of Fort St. John, B.C., spent a few days last week visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowrie, of Calgary, were visiting friends in the district during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ranton took in the New Year's festivities at Calgary last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Rodney and daughter, Marvel Ann, spent the holidays with Mrs. Rodney's parents at Conrich, Alberta.

Dutch Mortimer reports seeing a gopher on the blind line while in his truck Monday morning. He tried to run over it but it was too lively.

Ed Buhr, who is operating an elevator near Lethbridge, spent the Christmas and New Year's holidays at his home here.

Men's felt shoes with leather soles selling regularly for \$2.50, to clear at \$2.00.—T. E. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGhee attended the Shriners' New Year's ball at the Al Azhar Temple, Calgary.

George Boorman, of Bentley, and Art Boorman, of Calgary, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Boorman.

Miss Jessie McCoy, of Edmonton, was a Christmas and New Year's visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCoy.

The January meeting of the "Y" will be held Monday, January 10th at the home of Mrs. Caughell. The speaker will be Mrs. Harder.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Miquelon visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Thomas Hayes and family, in Calgary for the holidays.

The "Y" girls wish to thank all those who kindly contributed to their Christmas cheer efforts. Those who received jars of fruit are requested to return empties to Mrs. Cunningham, where owners may obtain same.

Harold Erb and Joe Green left for Calgary on Tuesday, where they will join the government's movement for training youths. They will enter the industrial branch.

Mr. Bill Jenkins was fortunate in winning the Greyhound Bus Line draw in December and was awarded a free trip to Trail, B.C. He extended his trip to Vancouver, B.C.

Mark Twain's "The Prince and the Pauper" at the movies this week end.—See the screen's most amazing stars, the Mauch Twins (Billy and Bobby) with Errol Flynn.

Miss Lorna Clarke, Messrs. Art Reiber, Roman Holub and Edward Brook, university students, who were home for the holidays, returned to their studies at Edmonton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boorman drove to Calgary for New Year's. They were accompanied by their son, Art, who has taken a position with the Imperial Oil Company at Turner Valley.

K. Roy McLean, eyesight specialist, 210 Southam Building will be at the Rosebud Hotel on Monday morning, January 10th.

Mr. Hans Olsen, qualified teacher of violin and band instruments, has taken up residence in Didsbury and is giving full time to teaching. Violins repaired, bows repaired, instruments procured for less than city prices. Apply Room 10, Petersen Block.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. Edwin McRae, of Humboldt, Saskatchewan, was renewing acquaintances in town this week.

Miss Enith Hunsperger, of Edmonton, visited her home here during the Christmas holidays.

Extra trousers free with every Hobberlin suit purchased during January.—J. V. Berscht & Sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Cleugh and children, of Drumheller, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hunsperger during Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Moffatt, of Lethbridge, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moffatt. Other holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Moffatt were Mr. and Mrs. S. Scott and Mr. W. Kirkendale, of Claresholm, and Mr. G. B. Moir, of Barons.

Knox United Church Notes.

It was a real pleasure to have the Ods United Church Senior Choir with us last Sunday. They gave a cantata, "The Wondrous Light," closing with Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus." Under the leadership of Mr. Wright one would expect that the choir would give an inspiring musical interpretation of the Christmas theme. No one was disappointed. We surely shall be glad to welcome the Ods choir again.

Our Junior Choir went to Olds last Sunday to give the cantata, "The Music of Bethlehem." We have heard very favorable reports of their performance.

Next Sunday the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed both at Westcott and Didsbury. All members and friends are cordially urged to be present. All who desire to live the Christian life are heartily welcome.

Evangelical Church Notes.

The pastor will speak from the subject, "The Victory of Faith" next Sunday morning. In the evening the subject will be, "Religion as a Business," this being the first of a series of three evening sermons. Next Sunday evening the theme will be, "Religion as a Luxury," and the third Sunday evening, "Religion as a Necessity."

Great reductions in ladies winter coats.—Berscht & Sons.

Mountain View Notes

The monthly meeting of the W. I. will be held at the home of Mrs. Birdsall on January 20th.

Mrs. B. A. Atkinson visited her sister, Mrs. Russell McCoy, en route to Calgary last week.

Miss Evelyn Barnes was home for Christmas. We hear that Evelyn now has her cap and we wish her every success in her new sphere.

Miss Nola Finley who has completed two years training at the Holy Cross Hospital Calgary was a New Year's visitor at her home.

Admitted that the elevated grades are a great joy to the winter motorist even if one is obliged to travel further to reach one's destination.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Matter of the Estate of Moses Good, late of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, Livestock Dealer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the above named Moses Good, who died on the 29th day of November, A.D. 1937, are required to file with the undersigned solicitor for the Executor, by the 14th day of February, 1938, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the said Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to his knowledge.

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